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File: PGPB

Jun 24, 2004

PGPUB-DOCUMENT-NUMBER: 20040123090

PGPUB-FILING-TYPE: new

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 20040123090 A1

TITLE: Providing access to system management information

PUBLICATION-DATE: June 24, 2004

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

| NAME | CITY | STATE | COUNTRY | RULE-47 |
|---------------------|-------------|-------|---------|---------|
| Zimmer, Vincent J. | Federal Way | WA | US | |
| Rothman, Michael A. | Gig Harbor | WA | US | |

US-CL-CURRENT: 713/1

ABSTRACT:

System management information may be obtained from multiple input devices associated system management mode drivers during pre-boot and during runtime of an operating system. The system management information may be converted to a form for presentation management and stored in an indexed database accessible during runtime. A lock provides mutually exclusive access to the stored system management information for either updating or display.

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File: PGPB

Jan 30, 2003

PGPUB-DOCUMENT-NUMBER: 20030023962

PGPUB-FILING-TYPE: new

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 20030023962 A1

TITLE: Method for just-in-time updating of programming parts

PUBLICATION-DATE: January 30, 2003

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

| NAME | CITY | STATE | COUNTRY | RULE-47 |
|----------------------------|----------|-------|---------|---------|
| Erickson, Michael John | Loveland | CO | US | |
| Maciorowski, David R. | Parker | CO | US | |
| Kroeger, Christopher Shawn | Longmont | CO | US | |

US-CL-CURRENT: 717/171; 717/178

ABSTRACT:

The invention provides a method of implementing firmware updates to programmable parts within circuit boards on a manufacturing line. An image file of firmware for each of the parts is created and stored on a firmware server. The programmable parts are preferably integrated with the printed circuit boards; each of the boards networks to the firmware server by connection with an interface server, such that the image files download to the circuit board for programming the board's internal programmable parts. Networking between the parts and the firmware server can include communications across the Internet and/or one or more area networks. Multiple interface servers may be integral with the products incorporating the programmable parts so that many products may be updated concurrently.

| Full | Title | Citation | Front | Review | Classification | Date | Reference | Sequences | Attachments | Claims | RWC | Draw Desc | In |
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File: USPT

Aug 12, 2003

US-PAT-NO: 6606744

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6606744 B1

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TITLE: Providing collaborative installation management in a network-based supply chain environment

DATE-ISSUED: August 12, 2003

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

| NAME | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE | COUNTRY |
|---------------------|----------|-------|----------|---------|
| Mikurak; Michael G. | Hamilton | NJ | | |

US-CL-CURRENT: 717/174; 705/26, 717/178

ABSTRACT:

A system, method and article of manufacture are provided for collaborative installation management in a network-based supply chain environment. According to an embodiment of the invention, telephone calls, data and other multimedia information are routed through a network system which includes transfer of information across the internet utilizing telephony routing information and internet protocol address information. The system includes integrated Internet Protocol (IP) telephony services allowing a user of a web application to communicate in an audio fashion in-band without having to pick up another telephone. Users can click a button and go to a call center through the network using IP telephony. The system invokes an IP telephony session simultaneously with the data session, and uses an active directory lookup whenever a user uses the system. Users

include service providers and manufacturers utilizing the network-based supply chain environment.

18 Claims, 130 Drawing figures
Exemplary Claim Number: 1
Number of Drawing Sheets: 130

| Full | Title | Citation | Front | Review | Classification | Date | Reference | Substantive | Administrative | Claims | KMC | Draw Desc | In |
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File: USPT

Jun 10, 2003

US-PAT-NO: 6578142
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6578142 B1

TITLE: Method and apparatus for automatically installing and configuring software on a computer

DATE-ISSUED: June 10, 2003

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

| NAME | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE | COUNTRY |
|-------------------|-------------|-------|----------|---------|
| Anderson; Eric C. | Sunnyvale | CA | | |
| Pitard; David | Santa Clara | CA | | |

US-CL-CURRENT: 713/2; 717/170

ABSTRACT:

A method including copying a first application from a first non-volatile memory to a second non-volatile memory and setting the first application to be a start-up application. The method further includes booting-up an operating system and executing the first application. The method also includes determining if a suitable connection exists, determining if a needed bandwidth of the suitable connection is available, and downloading a second application if the suitable connection exists and the needed bandwidth of the suitable connection is available. The method then includes executing the second application. An apparatus for performing the method is also disclosed.

33 Claims, 8 Drawing figures
Exemplary Claim Number: 1
Number of Drawing Sheets: 8

| Full | Title | Citation | Front | Review | Classification | Date | Reference | Substantive | Administrative | Claims | KMC | Draw Desc | In |
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File: USPT

Sep 17, 2002

US-PAT-NO: 6453469
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6453469 B1

TITLE: Method and apparatus to automatically deinstall an application module when not functioning

DATE-ISSUED: September 17, 2002

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

| NAME | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE | COUNTRY |
|------------------|-------------|-------|----------|---------|
| Jystad; Glenn E. | Dove Canyon | CA | | |

US-CL-CURRENT: 717/174; 717/168, 717/177

ABSTRACT:

A method and apparatus for automatically installing a target application module and de-installing the target application module if it fails to execute or function properly is described. In one embodiment, the method includes determining whether a shared resource exists on a target media, and, if the shared resource exists, determining whether the application module functioned properly on the target media, and automatically de-installing the application module if the application module failed to function properly.

20 Claims, 8 Drawing figures

Exemplary Claim Number: 1

Number of Drawing Sheets: 8

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File: USPT

Jun 11, 2002

US-PAT-NO: 6405309

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6405309 B1

TITLE: Method and apparatus for creating and deploying smaller Microsoft Windows applications for automatic configuration of a computing device

DATE-ISSUED: June 11, 2002

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

| NAME | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE | COUNTRY |
|--------------------|-----------|-------|----------|---------|
| Cheng; Cheuk | Daly City | CA | | |
| Yuan; Bing | San Jose | CA | | |
| Abgrall; Jean-Paul | San Jose | CA | | |

US-CL-CURRENT: 713/1

ABSTRACT:

A method including creating an executable program in accordance with a Windows Control Panel Language (CPL) format; storing the executable program in a first non-volatile memory; transferring the executable program from the first non-volatile memory to a second non-volatile memory; and, configuring an operating system to start-up the

executable program after the operating system has completed booting.

24 Claims, 8 Drawing figures
Exemplary Claim Number: 1
Number of Drawing Sheets: 8

| Full | Title | Citation | Front | Review | Classification | Date | Reference | | | Claims | K/M/C | Draw Desc | In |
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File: USPT

Nov 20, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6321279
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6321279 B1

TITLE: System for implementing intelligent I/O processing in a multi-processor system by redirecting I/O messages to a target central processor selected from the multi-processor system

DATE-ISSUED: November 20, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

| NAME | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE | COUNTRY |
|-------------------|---------|-------|----------|---------|
| Bonola; Thomas J. | Tomball | TX | | |

US-CL-CURRENT: 710/36; 710/40, 710/64, 718/102, 718/105

ABSTRACT:

A software program is used in conjunction with a standard general purpose multi-processor computer system as a means of implementing an I.sub.2 O-compliant input-output processor ("IOP") without requiring a special hardware IOP processor embedded on a PCI device card and connected to a computer system PCI bus. At least one of the multi-processor is targeted for operating a special software operating system module. The special software operating system module is capable of emulating the I.sub.2 O-compliant input-output operating system program. This enables the targeted CPU to act as a virtual IOP. A driver software module is inserted into the operating system during computer system initialization which causes the software operating system to operate as if it is communicating with a physical IOP installed on a PCI bus, but instead the driver software module is redirecting the message to one of the virtual IOPs, thus making operation of the computer system indistinguishable from messages that would have been processed by a hardware implemented IOP in a computer system. Legacy computers may also implement I.sub.2 O functionality without needing to be PCI bus configured, nor requiring special hardware IOP.

22 Claims, 16 Drawing figures
Exemplary Claim Number: 1
Number of Drawing Sheets: 14

| Full | Title | Citation | Front | Review | Classification | Date | Reference | | | Claims | K/M/C | Draw Desc | In |
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☐ 8. Document ID: US 6101601 A

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File: USPT

Aug 8, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6101601

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6101601 A

TITLE: Method and apparatus for hibernation within a distributed data processing system

DATE-ISSUED: August 8, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

| NAME | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE | COUNTRY |
|------------------------------|------------|-------|----------|---------|
| Matthews; Gareth Christopher | Cedar Park | TX | | |
| Medina; David | Austin | TX | | |
| Wynn; Allen Chester | Round Rock | TX | | |

US-CL-CURRENT: 713/2; 707/10, 714/15

ABSTRACT:

A method and apparatus provides initializing a data processing system within a distributed data processing system. The data processing system receives data wherein the data is used to initialize the data processing system. The data processing system saves an image within the data processing system in a selected state after initialization of the data processing system, wherein the image is a saved image. The data processing system restores to the state using the saved image.

28 Claims, 6 Drawing figures

Exemplary Claim Number: 1

Number of Drawing Sheets: 5

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☐ 9. Document ID: US 5909437 A

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File: USPT

Jun 1, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5909437

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5909437 A

TITLE: Software download for a subscriber terminal of a wireless telecommunications system

DATE-ISSUED: June 1, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

| NAME | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE | COUNTRY |
|-------------------|---------|-------|----------|---------|
| Rhodes; Robert G. | Reading | | | GB |
| Cooper; Guy A. | Windsor | | | GB |

US-CL-CURRENT: 370/349; 370/373, 370/469, 455/420, 713/2

ABSTRACT:

Software is down-loaded from a central station of a wireless telecommunications system to a remote subscriber station for configuring the remote subscriber station to permit wireless connection of user telecommunications equipment at the remote subscriber station to the central station. A multi-layer down-load protocol includes a number of independent protocol layers, preferably operating a master-slave configuration. Each layer controls respective sequence numbers to ensure system integrity. Control software is arranged with a device independent boot-strap and a set of device specific external service parameters to provide portability.

53 Claims, 38 Drawing figures

Exemplary Claim Number: 1

Number of Drawing Sheets: 20

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Intelligent Control, 1997. Proceedings of the 1997 IEEE International Symposium on , 16-18 July 1997

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2 A TNET database server for production flow control

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Computers and Communications, 1998. ISCC '98. Proceedings. Third IEEE Symposium on , 30 June-2 July 1998

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Papadimitriou, G.I.; Vakali, A.I.; Pomportsis, A.S.;

Tools with Artificial Intelligence, 2000. ICTAI 2000. Proceedings. 12th IEEE International Conference on , 13-15 Nov. 2000

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4 Internet search engine freshness by Web server help

Gupta, V.; Campbell, R.;

Applications and the Internet, 2001. Proceedings. 2001 Symposium on , 8-12 Jan. 2001

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21 [An architecture for WWW-based hypercode environments](#)

Gail E. Kaiser, Stephen E. Dossick, Wenyu Jiang, Jack Jingshuang Yang

May 1997 **Proceedings of the 19th international conference on Software engineering**


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22 [Beacond: a peer-to-peer system to teach ubiquitous computing](#)

Surendar Chandra

January 2003 **ACM SIGCSE Bulletin , Proceedings of the 34th SIGCSE technical symposium on Computer science education**, Volume 35 Issue 1

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This paper describes a peer-to-peer (p2p) system (beacond) that is suitable for teaching important concepts in ubiquitous computing. The system exposes issues in peer location, p2p services, security and privacy issues. The system provided enough background to compliment class lectures and assisted students in designing their own course projects. Students continue to explore ideas exposed by beacond; some of these ideas are being further developed for publication in research conferences[1]. We p ...

Keywords: computer networks, ubiquitous computing

23 [Designing distributed applications with mobile code paradigms](#)

Antonio Carzaniga, Gian Pietro Picco, Giovanni Vigna

May 1997 **Proceedings of the 19th international conference on Software engineering**

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Keywords: design paradigms, distributed applications, mobile code

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Edmundo de Souza e Silva, H. Richard Gail, Richard R. Muntz

October 1995 **IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networking (TON)**, Volume 3 Issue 5

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26 Reception and posters: A geographic redirection service for on-line games

Chris Chambers, Wu-chi Feng, Wu-chang Feng, Debanjan Saha

November 2003 **Proceedings of the eleventh ACM international conference on Multimedia**

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For many on-line games, user experience is impacted significantly by network latency. As on-line games and on-line game servers proliferate, the ability to discover and connect to nearby servers is essential for maintaining user satisfaction. In this paper, we present a redirection service for on-line games based on the geographic location of players relative to servers. As our results show, the service better meets client demand, saving each client and the Internet as a whole, thousands of mile ...

27 On optimization of polling policy represented by neural network

Yutaka Matsumoto

October 1994 **ACM SIGCOMM Computer Communication Review , Proceedings of the conference on Communications architectures, protocols and applications**, Volume 24 Issue 4


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This paper deals with the problem of scheduling a server in a polling system with multiple queues and complete information. We represent the polling policy by a neural network; namely, given the number of waiting customers in each queue, the server determines next queue he should visit according to the output of the neural network. By using the simulated annealing method, we improve the neural polling policy in such a way that the mean delay of customers is minimized. Numer ...

28 The X window system

Robert W. Scheifler, Jim Gettys

April 1986 **ACM Transactions on Graphics (TOG)**, Volume 5 Issue 2

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An overview of the X Window System is presented, focusing on the system substrate and the low-level facilities provided to build applications and to manage the desktop. The system provides high-performance, high-level, device-independent graphics. A hierarchy of resizable, overlapping windows allows a wide variety of application and user interfaces to be built easily. Network-transparent access to the display provides an important degree of functional separation, without significantly affect ...

29 Concurrency control in collaborative hypertext systems

Uffe Kock Wilf, John J. Leggett


December 1993 **Proceedings of the fifth ACM conference on Hypertext**

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Keywords: collaborative work, concurrency control, distributed hypertext systems, events, extensibility, hyperbases, open architectures, supporting technologies, transaction management, user-controlled locking, version control

30 Crawler-Friendly Web Servers


Onn Brandman, Junghoo Cho, Hector Garcia-Molina, Narayanan Shivakumar
September 2000 **ACM SIGMETRICS Performance Evaluation Review**, Volume 28 Issue 2

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In this paper we study how to make web servers (e.g., Apache) more crawler friendly. Current web servers offer the same interface to crawlers and regular web surfers, even though crawlers and surfers have very different performance requirements. We evaluate simple and easy-to-incorporate modifications to web servers so that there are significant bandwidth savings. Specifically, we propose that web servers export meta-data archives describing their content.

31 Measurement: Towards an accurate AS-level traceroute tool

Zhuoqing Morley Mao, Jennifer Rexford, Jia Wang, Randy H. Katz
August 2003 **Proceedings of the 2003 conference on Applications, technologies, architectures, and protocols for computer communications**

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Traceroute is widely used to detect routing problems, characterize end-to-end paths, and discover the Internet topology. Providing an accurate list of the Autonomous Systems (ASes) along the forwarding path would make traceroute even more valuable to researchers and network operators. However, conventional approaches to mapping traceroute hops to AS numbers are not accurate enough. Address registries are often incomplete and out-of-date. BGP routing tables provide a better IP-to-AS mapping, though ...

Keywords: AS-level path, border gateway protocol, internet topology, network measurements

32 Decentralized storage systems: Taming aggressive replication in the Pangaea wide-area file system

Yasushi Saito, Christos Karamanolis, Magnus Karlsson, Mallik Mahalingam
December 2002 **ACM SIGOPS Operating Systems Review**, Volume 36 Issue SI

Full text available:  pdf(1.93 MB) Additional Information: [full citation](#), [abstract](#), [references](#)

Pangaea is a wide-area file system that supports data sharing among a community of widely distributed users. It is built on a symmetrically decentralized infrastructure that consists of commodity computers provided by the end users. Computers act autonomously to serve data to their local users. When possible, they exchange data with nearby peers to improve the system's overall performance, availability, and network economy. This approach is realized by aggressively creating a replica of a file w ...

33 Simulating a complex software system

Dennis S. Mok, Sheldon T. Becker
April 1990 **ACM SIGSIM Simulation Digest , Proceedings of the 23rd annual symposium on Simulation**, Volume 20 Issue 4

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This paper describes the simulation problems and techniques associated with modeling a

complex computer software system. In this study, modeling techniques such as: hybrid simulation, bit packing, mirroring, post-simulation statistical analysis and other special simulation programming techniques are presented together with the results of their application.

34 Dynamic services and analysis: Engineering and hosting adaptive freshness-sensitive web applications on data centers

Wen-Syan Li, Oliver Po, Wang-Pin Hsiung, K. Selçuk Candan, Divyakant Agrawal

May 2003 **Proceedings of the twelfth international conference on World Wide Web**

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Wide-area database replication technologies and the availability of content delivery networks allow Web applications to be hosted and served from powerful data centers. This form of application support requires a complete Web application suite to be distributed along with the database replicas. A major advantage of this approach is that dynamic content is served from locations closer to users, leading into reduced network latency and fast response times. However, this is achieved at the expense ...

Keywords: database-driven web applications, dynamic content, freshness, response time, net-work latency, web acceleration

35 A publish/subscribe COBRA persistent state service prototype

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An important class of information dissemination applications requires 1:n communication and access to persistent datastores. CORBA's new Persistent State Service combined with messaging capabilities offer the possibility of efficiently realizing information brokers between data sources and CORBA clients. In this paper we present a prototype implementation of the PSS that exploits the reliable multicast capabilities of an existing middleware platform. This publish/subscribe architecture makes ...

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